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AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph on page 8, line 11 with the following amended paragraph:

As mentioned above, the present invention dynamically binds document component variables to elements of a domain model during document configuration through an object model access expression. This independent and flexible, "loose coupling" of document and domain knowledge allow distinct domain models to be developed independently of any particular document. Furthermore, consistency of the document model is maintained based on the linking between document knowledge and domain knowledge. It is noted that for purposes of the present application, "loose coupling" means that domain model stands independently from the document and can be freely used to build templates for other documents. There is no "tight coupling". Thus, there is not a one-to-one correspondence between the number of documents and the number of domain models.